

Washington, DC - Congressman John Adler (D-NJ-03), released the following statement after voting in favor of the House budget resolution.

"It is important in this time of economic uncertainty that we protect programs and initiatives that support our middle class families, seniors, and veterans," said Congressman Adler, a member of the Financial Services Committee. "I want to ensure that families in my district are able to keep their jobs, stay in their homes, and care for their children and elderly parents. This budget will keep real the American dream for many New Jersey families, while they also see greater tax relief, and increased government responsibility and accountability."

The House budget:

- Funds special education programs that are critical for property tax payers in the Shore area and South Jersey.
- Creates jobs with targeted investments and reforms in health care, clean energy, and education.
- Cuts the deficit by nearly two-thirds by 2013.
- Cuts taxes for middle income families by \$1.5 trillion.